For the Record

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Possible NIS Special Study on the Arctic

REF: Memorandum for the Record dated 19 January 1960, same subject

Col. Marr phoned this date to report that the subject possible use of the NIS has been canceled out. That decision essentially was based on two considerations: 1) that the proposed project would not be undertaken on an area basis but included in an over-all troup disposition study, and 2) on the basis that (per our discussion at the initial stage) a considerable amount of source material was available for special adaptation, but the end result would not justify considerable amount of effort which would have to be diverted from priority and other existing intelligence effort.

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